

From: Bloomgren, David
To: [White, Terri-A](#); [Garvin, Shawn](#)
Cc: [Ryan, Daniel](#); [Pomponio, John](#); [Johnson, Alisha](#); [Shamet, Stefania](#); [Seneca, Roy](#); [Heron, Donna](#); [Libertz, Catherine](#)
Subject: Re: King Coal Highway Comments
Date: Thursday, May 23, 2013 4:23:39 PM

Thanks Terri.

From: White, Terri-A
Sent: Thursday, May 23, 2013 4:15:05 PM
To: Garvin, Shawn; Bloomgren, David
Cc: Ryan, Daniel; Pomponio, John; Johnson, Alisha; Shamet, Stefania; Seneca, Roy; Heron, Donna; Libertz, Catherine
Subject: FW: King Coal Highway Comments

FYI only.

-----Original Message-----

From: Ken Ward [<mailto:kward@wvgazette.com>]
Sent: Thursday, May 23, 2013 3:55 PM
To: White, Terri-A
Subject: RE: King Coal Highway Comments

Perhaps this, given to me just now by Federal Highway Administration, will help you respond if any other media inquire:

"The extension period applies to the public as a whole, and is not limited to any one party. The deadline is currently May 31, but it could be extended if needed."

-----Original Message-----

From: White, Terri-A [<mailto:White.Terri-A@epa.gov>]
Sent: Thursday, May 23, 2013 3:35 PM
To: kward@wvgazette.com
Subject: RE: King Coal Highway Comments

Ken,

EPA's request for an extension has been granted to the agency, and we're trying to further define what that timeframe will be. I do not know who you can call for more than what I've provided. -- Terri -----Original Message-----

From: Ken Ward [<mailto:kward@wvgazette.com>]
Sent: Thursday, May 23, 2013 3:06 PM
To: White, Terri-A
Subject: RE: King Coal Highway Comments

As I said, I need answers to those two questions ... if you don't know, who can I call to get those answers?

-----Original Message-----

From: White, Terri-A [<mailto:White.Terri-A@epa.gov>]
Sent: Thursday, May 23, 2013 3:05 PM
To: kward@wvgazette.com
Subject: RE: King Coal Highway Comments

Ken, what I've provided is all I know at this point.

-----Original Message-----

From: Ken Ward [<mailto:kward@wvgazette.com>]
Sent: Thursday, May 23, 2013 2:41 PM
To: White, Terri-A
Subject: RE: King Coal Highway Comments

Well, I need to know if it was for EPA only and what the new deadline is -- those are perfectly reasonable questions that surely someone at EPA could have anticipated would be asked.

-----Original Message-----

From: White, Terri-A [<mailto:White.Terri-A@epa.gov>]
Sent: Thursday, May 23, 2013 2:37 PM
To: kward@wvgazette.com
Subject: RE: King Coal Highway Comments

Ken, this is what I know at this point. -- Terri

"EPA requested an extension given the impact of the ongoing federal sequestration, which has resulted in EPA administrative furloughs, and the need to coordinate with multiple programs within the agency on the review of the SEIS."

-----Original Message-----

From: Ken Ward [<mailto:kward@wvgazette.com>]
Sent: Thursday, May 23, 2013 2:30 PM
To: White, Terri-A
Subject: RE: King Coal Highway Comments

Terri,

Was this extension given only to EPA? How long is the extension and what is the new deadline for comments?

Thanks, Ken.

-----Original Message-----

From: White, Terri-A [<mailto:White.Terri-A@epa.gov>]
Sent: Thursday, May 23, 2013 2:28 PM
To: kward@wvgazette.com
Subject: RE: King Coal Highway Comments

Ken,

Here is EPA's statement on our review of the Draft Supplemental EIS. -- Terri

EPA has been granted an extension to provide comments on the Draft Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement (SEIS) for the King Coal Highway
- Buffalo Mountain Surface Mine project. Recognizing the importance of the project, as well as protecting public health and the environment in the State of West Virginia, EPA remains committed to conducting a careful and thorough review of the draft SEIS. For more information on NEPA, visit: <http://www.epa.gov/compliance/nepa/index.html>

-----Original Message-----

From: Ken Ward [<mailto:kward@wvgazette.com>]
Sent: Thursday, May 23, 2013 12:40 PM
To: White, Terri-A

Subject: FW: King Coal Highway Comments

Circling back on this again ...

-----Original Message-----

From: Ken Ward [<mailto:kward@wvgazette.com>]

Sent: Thursday, May 23, 2013 8:05 AM

To: 'White, Terri-A'

Subject: RE: King Coal Highway Comments

Circling back again ... I believe yesterday was the deadline for comments ...

-----Original Message-----

From: White, Terri-A [<mailto:White.Terri-A@epa.gov>]

Sent: Wednesday, May 22, 2013 4:40 PM

To: kward@wvgazette.com

Subject: RE: King Coal Highway Comments

Not yet, Ken.

-----Original Message-----

From: Ken Ward [<mailto:kward@wvgazette.com>]

Sent: Wednesday, May 22, 2013 4:27 PM

To: White, Terri-A

Subject: RE: King Coal Highway Comments

Any word?

-----Original Message-----

From: White, Terri-A [<mailto:White.Terri-A@epa.gov>]

Sent: Wednesday, May 22, 2013 10:26 AM

To: kward@wvgazette.com

Subject: RE: King Coal Highway Comments

Hi Ken,

I do not know at this point. But as soon as I hear something, I'll let you know.

-----Original Message-----

From: Ken Ward [<mailto:kward@wvgazette.com>]

Sent: Wednesday, May 22, 2013 10:20 AM

To: White, Terri-A

Subject: RE: King Coal Highway Comments

When will the EPA comments be available?

-----Original Message-----

From: White, Terri-A [<mailto:White.Terri-A@epa.gov>]

Sent: Monday, May 20, 2013 1:55 PM

To: kward@wvgazette.com

Subject: RE: King Coal Highway Comments

Hi Ken,

Yes, you're right. Comments due on Wednesday, and yes -- I'll get them to you as soon as they are available. --
Terri

-----Original Message-----

From: Ken Ward [<mailto:kward@wvgazette.com>]

Sent: Monday, May 20, 2013 1:02 PM

To: White, Terri-A

Subject: King Coal Highway Comments

Terri,

It's my understanding that comments on the King Coal Highway/Buffalo Mountain Mine supplemental EIS are due on Wednesday.

Is that correct?

Can I get a copy of EPA's comments as soon as they are available?

Ken.

Ken Ward Jr.

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